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OUR DIRECTORY.

SPRINGFIELD, county seat of Washington County, 58 miles southwest of Lexington, 59 miles from Louisville on Bardstown branch of Louisville and Nashville railroad, in a farming and agricultural district. Two banks, telegraph and telephone lines, express office, flour mills, lumber yards. Population 1100: population of county 15,000.

Representative in Congress, Hon. D. H. Smith, Hodgenville, Ky.

Representative in Kentucky Legislature, C. F. Borley

Representative in State Senate, Hon. R. F. Furyear, Campbellsville, Ky.

COUNTY DIRECTORY

CIRCUIT COURT.

Circuit Court begins on the fourth Monday in February, May and October.
C E Patterson, Judge.
W B Sweeney, Commonwealth Attorney
F M Campbell, Clerk.
T W Simms, Master Commissioner.

QUARTERLY COURT.

Quarterly Court is held on the third Monday in January, April, July and October.
B. L. Litsey, Judge.

COUNTY COURT.

County Court meets on the fourth Monday in each month.
B L Litsey, Judge
W F Booker, County Clerk.
T S Mayes, County Attorney
J R Smith, Jailer
H B Powell, Sheriff
W R Thurman, Sidney Osborne, Byron Crooke, Ed Masters } Deputies
James F Moore, County Surveyor.
T P O'Bryan, Assessor.
R Ward, Deputy.
A B Campbell, County Treasurer
J. M. Montgomery, Coroner.

SPRINGFIELD DIRECTORY

W H Baker, Police Judge
John Grace, Marshal.
W. D. Claybrooke City Attorney.

JUSTICE COURT.

Justice courts are held in January, April July and October.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev George W Swope, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p m. Sunday School at 9:30; Prayer Meeting on Wednesday night at 7:30 p m.

METHODIST CHURCH

Rev G. H. Prather Pastor; Services on the First and Third Sundays in each month at 11 a m and 8 p m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev R E C Lawson, Pastor, Services every Sunday at 11 a m and 8 p m; Prayer Meeting every Thursday night.

CATHOLIC CHURCH.

Rev F F Hennesy, Pastor; Services every Sunday at 8 and 10 o'clock a m. Services at St. Rose same hours.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. H. F. Lloyd pastor., Services second Sunday in each month at the Methodist church.

FRATERNAL ORDERS.

MASONIC LODGE—Springfield lodge No. 50 meets second Monday in each month.

Washington R O Chapter, No. 27, meets every third Monday.

Springfield Council No. 52, meets every fourth Monday

KNIGHTS OF HONOR—Meets every second and fourth Monday in each month.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACABEES—Meets every first Wednesday of each month.

I. O. R M. BLACK HAWK TRIBE N. 24—Meets every Wednesday night in wigwam, McElroy Hall.

L. and N. TIME TABLE.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

43		42	44
P. M.		A. M.	P. M.
12 40	Ar... Springfield ... Lv	6 30	1 20
12 15	...... Valley Hill	6 41	1 36
12 03	.... Booker	6 47	1 47
11 54	.... Cronkes	6 54	1 58
11 37	...... Woodlawn	6 08	2 18
11 27	..... Early Times	6 13	2 25
11 15	...... Bardstown	6 23	3 55
10 50	...... Nazareth	6 30	3 08
10 30	...... Samuels	6 41	3 34
10 25	...... Deatsville	6 45	3 50
10 10	..... Cane Spring	6 53	4 05
10 00	.... Hobbs	6 59	4 18
9 52	...... Clearmont	7 04	4 30
9 43	... Bardstown Junct ...	7 10	5 00
......	... Shepherdsville ...	7 20	...
......	.... Hubers	7 27	...
......	...... South Park	7 39	...
8 30	... South Louisville ...	7 50	5 55
8 00	Lv.... Louisville.... Ar	8 05	6 10
A. M.		A. M.	P. M.

KIDNEY DISEASES

are the most fatal of all diseases.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE is a Guaranteed Remedy

or money refunded. Contains remedies recognized by eminent physicians as the *best* for Kidney and Bladder troubles.

PRICE 50c. and $1.00.

Foley's Kidney Cure makes kidneys and bladder right.

Odds and Ends of Gossip.

In the Crispy Weather.

In the chrispy weatherwind a blowin' free,
Scatterin' the gold leaves from the mountains to the sea;
O'er the fields an' meadows no more the wild larks roam;
The bees have made their honey, an they're hidin' in the comb.

In the crispy weather: Summertime was sweet,
A-rainin' down the blossoms on the flowers at your feet,
But see the winter sunshine!—it's on the hill an' plain,
An' the winter-fires are blazin' when the sparks are drowned in rain;

In the crispy weather goin' glad along,
When the wind, is sighin', in the heart's a song:
Tell the old time stories sweetly o'er an' o'er
'Till you wake some mornin' an' find lilies at your door!

—Atlanta Constitution.

Good, The local merchants all report the fall trade as being good. The first touch of frosty weather has brought people to town with money to lay in their winter clothes and they appear to be buying liberally. Notwithstanding the partial failure of the corn crop money with the farmers seems to be fairly plentiful and if the farmer is "fixed" the country is safe, for upon the faithful tiller of the soil a good part of the balance of the world depends. Especially is this true of Springfield and other towns surrounded by an agricultural population, for the prosperity of the merchant and nearly every other business or professional man in town depends upon the farmer

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TYPHOID—The prevalence of that dreaded malady, typhoid fever and the severe type it appears to have this year has been a matter of comment. The disease makes its appearance in the town and county with more or less severity almost every year about this time but the doctors report more cases and more fatalities this year than usual. The causes of typhoid can not always be determined but that it is infectious and due to some local cause, such as water or a disease germ breeding locality, is nearly always true In this connection the necessity of keeping the premises clean and free from any accumulation of filth cannot be strongly urged upon housekeepers and property owners about town. The town authorities should see to it that the law in regard to keeping ones premises clean is rigidly enforced.

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CITY POLITICS—There is considerable interest taken in the election for town officials which is to take place at the regular election in November. A new Board of Trustees is to be elected as well as a Police Judge and Town Marshal. It is likely that an entire new Board of Trustees will be chosen as the members of the old board have declined to stand for re-election; In view of the fact that the town is growing in size and importance all the time and to the further fact that greater obligations in the shape of the cost of supplying water and electric lights for municipal purposes have been assumed, it becomes more than ever important that good men—men of good business qualifications and judgment who will take an interest in the duties, be chosen. We understand that the annual revenue to be derived from the taxes, licenses, etc, is sufficient to pay all municipal expenses provided all the taxes are collected and that economy is exercised in the running expenses of the town, but there must be no unnecessary expense to come up. The management of the town affairs should be run on a strictly business basis and every dollar justly due collected and all corners cut and waste of public funds avoided. If this is done the old town will be all right and prosper otherwise there will be trouble and high taxes.

BANNER SALVE the most healing salve in the world.

MACKVILLE.

From our Regular Correspondent

Died on the 10th, Ellis Warner at his home near Mackville, in his 22nd year, after a short illness of typhoid fever. The funeral services were conducted the same day at Willisburg by Rev. E. P. Couch, after which the remains were interred in the Willisburg cemetery,

Misses May Bodine and Lillie Arnold of Lancaster, who have been the pleasant guests of the family of Ike Arnold for the past week have returned home,

James Cochran sold a combined six year old mare to R. A. Dodd of Wilmore at $90.

Berry Shewmaker sold a bunch of stock ewes to J. S. Gillispie at $3 25 per head.

Rev. C. M. Humphrey has been sent back to Mackville to take charge of the Methodist church for another year. Rev T. B. Jones and family of Pineville and Rev Charles Humphrey of Hodgenville are visiting the family of Rev. C M. Humphrey

Rev. E. P Couch assisted by Rev Payne of Hodgenville closed quite an interesting meeting last week, which has been in progress for the past two weeks at the Christian church in Mackville with fifteen additions,

Rev. R L. Purdom will begin a series of meetings at the Baptist church here on the third Sunday of this month,

Evan Carey of Tatham Springs and Miss Della Noel of Willisburg were married at the home of Rev' Will Yancey, that divine officiating. We extend congratulations,

BRAIN FOOD NONSENSE.

Another ridiculous food fad has been branded by the most competent authorities: They have dispelled the silly notion that one kind of food is needed for brain, another for muscles, and still another for bones. A correct diet will not only nourish a particular part of the body, but it will sustain every other part, Yet, however good your food may be, its nutriment is destroyed by indigestion or dyspepsia. You must prepare for their appearance or prevent their coming by taking regular doses of Green's August Flower, the favorite medicine of the healthy millions, A few doses aids digestion, stimulates the liver to healthy action, purifies the blood, and makes you feel buoyant and vigorous. You can get Dr. G. G. Green's reliable remedies at all druggists. Get Green's Special Almanac.

Out of Death's Jaws.

"When death seemed very near from a severe stomach and liver trouble, that I had suffered with for years," writes P. Muse, Durham, N. C., "Dr. King's New Life Pills saved my life and gave perfect health" Best pills on earth and only 25c at Haydon & Robertson's drugstore

One Bottle

of Remick's Pepsin Blood Tonic will make you fairly sparkle with new life and vigor. For sale by Haydon & Robertson.

Steer Hanged Himself.

It isn't often a steer hangs himself says the Lincoln Democrat, but one of Henry Taylor's in reaching through a forked limb for water got its head fastened and the tighter he pulled the closer the limb got around his windpipe, and a day or two later they found about 700 pounds of dried beef. If it was not an accident it was a genuine case of bovine suicide.

soul and lightens many of life's burdens, If you have ever heard the sweet-toned Steger Piano you will appreciate this. To reach the highest standard of excellence has always been the aim in the manufacture of the Celebrated Steger Piano. Only the best material is used, insuring great durability. Every piano fully guaranteed. The Steger factories, thoroughly equipped with the best and most improved machinery, located at Steger, Ill., are among the largest in the west. Intending purchasers will find it profitable to write for full descriptive catalogue, which will be mailed free, upon application to [illegible] & Co. Established 1879). Chicago, Ill. 20tf

Most Lovely Thing on Earth.

Sam Jones, the inimitable, whose quaintness of style is only equaled by the accuracy of his definitions and descriptions, gave, in a recent sermon, the following beautiful story, in which he so charmingly portrayed the most lovely thing on earth We do not remember to have seen, anywhere, a prettier picture than this;

"An angel was sent down from heaven one day to bring back the most beautiful thing on earth. He hunted long and carefully, saw a bed of full blown American Beauty roses lovely beyond compare, and he gathered an armful of them and started to return to his home above.

'As he soared into the air he saw a baby's smile, and filled with rapturous admiration at the sight, returned to take it too. By the side he discovered a mother's love, and with all these in his arms, he mounted to the place beyond the skies.

"Just outside the pearly gates the spirit paused for a moment and, lo! the roses were withered and dead, and the baby's smile had vanished, but strong and faithful and serenely beautiful as ever, mother's love remained, so he cast the others aside and took this and laid it at the feet of his Master as the most lovely and lasting thing on earth."—Ex.

How's This.

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props, Toledo, O

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists Toledo, O.,

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

Mrs. T. Briddleman of Parshallville, Mich., was troubled with salt rheum for thirteen years and had tried a number of doctors without relief. After two applications of Banner Salve, her hands became better and in a short time she was entirely cured. Beware of substitutes, Wood & Wimsatt.

A new remedy for billiousness is now on sale at Haydon & Robertson's drug store. It is called Chamberlain's Liver and Stomach Tablets. It gives quick relief and will prevent the attack if given as soon as the first indication of the disease appears. Price, 25 cents per box, Samples free.

Roosevelt is a Rapid Worker.

President Roosevelt is acquainting himself with the business of the White House, at a pace that would soon tire out a less vigorous man, He rushes at his work soon after breakfast at 8:30 o'clock, and when streams of clerks are making their way reluctantly to the nearby Treasury he is already busy dictating correspondents and clearing his desk so as to be able to receive the callers who gather in the reception room on the second floor in large numbers long before he is prepared to receive them This is a very engrossing time for Assistant Secretary Loeb. but that gentleman who is familiar with Mr. Roosevelt's methods accumulates enough notes in an hour to keep many typewriters occupied until about noon,

The pressure of visitors to talk with the President upon matters official, personal and semi-official does not seem to try the President's strength or impair his good temper. As one way of providing for meetings with the largest possible number he has adopted the practice of having some visitors at breakfast and luncheon with him. This may do for awhile but men of experience shake their heads at the pace—Washington telegram to the New York Times.

When you have no appetite, do not relish your food and feel dull after eating you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets Price, 25 cents. Samples free at Haydon & Robertson's drug store.

After exposure or when you feel a cold coming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails to stop a cold if taken in time. Wood & Wimsatt,

SUCCESSFUL SALE

The Stock Sale of Mr. S. B. Thompson Passes off Well.

The public sale of live-stock and farm products conducted by S. B. Thompson at the Mullican farm near town on last Wednesday was one of the most successful ever held in this vicinity, and traders were plentiful and prices realized were good. Mr. Thompson had only been farming two years but he had accumulated a large lot of fine stock and everything that he had to offer for sale was high class and consequently desirable. Mr Thompson had spared no trouble nor expense in thoroughly advertising his sale and as a consequence there were buyers in attendance from all the adjoining counties. Capt. T. D. English and S. M. Campbell acted as auctioneers and although the weather was disagreeable the crowd was large and the bidding at all times was lively enough Some of the stock sold went into Mercer, Boyle, Marion, Nelson, and Spencer counties.

To enumerate the sales would be impracticable within the limits of this article but the following gives an idea of the range of prices: Stock cattle, of various kinds ranged from $3.65 to $4 per hundred; good Jersey cows and heifers brought from $10 to $60 per head; stock hogs 5½ cents per pound; thoroughbred Poland China hogs $15 to $25 per head; Shetland ponies $40 to $60 per head; twelve head of horses, ranging in age from yearlings to aged animals, sold from $60 to $200 per head; stock ewes brought from $3.50 to $4 per head; second-hand Curtis & Reed buggy brought $117 second-hand Curtis & Reed pheaton brought $77. The highest price horse to sell was a beautiful colt by Chester Dare just a few days over a year old, which was purchased by Dr. J. B. RoBards for $200.

On Thursday morning at 10 o'clock Capt English announced the sale of Mr. Thompson's residence in Springfield. After being started at $1750 the price of this property was rapidly run up to $2400 where it hung for some time but was finally bid up again to $2502 at which price it was knocked down to Mr. M. L. Searcy, There were quite a number of bidders on the property which is a very desirable residence for anyone desiring a good home in town.

His Life in Peril

"It just seemed to have gone all to pieces," writes Alfred Bee, of Welfare, Tex., "biliousness and a lame back had made life a burden. I couldn't eat or sleep and felt almost too worn out to work when I began to use Electric Bitters, but they worked wonders. Now I sleep like a top, can eat anything, have gained in strength and enjoy hard work." They give vigorous health and new life to weak, sickly, run-down people. Try them. Only 50c at Haydon & Robertson's drug store

Important Witness.

Miss Harriet Balzhiser, who according to published reports is to be summoned as a witness in the Caleb Powers trial, in Georgetown to testify, as the defendent's state, to the condition of Gov. Goebel at the time he took the oath of office, has been in Danville for the past year. She was one of Gov. Goebel's constant nurses and was in attendance upon him until the time of his death, The defense at Georgetown hoped to prove by Miss Balzhiser's testimony that Mr Goebel at the time of his oath of office was administered was unconscious. From all the information obtained yesterday by the Advocate representative Miss Balzhiser's testimony would have been the direct opposite of this, as she is said to have repeatedly stated that Governor Goebel at that time was perfectly conscious, and cognizant of all that was going on around him. It is not thought, however that her testimony will be available in the present trial, as she is at present in New York.—Danville Advocate.

My Lungs

"An attack of la grippe left me with a bad cough. My friends said I had consumption. I then tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and it cured me promptly."
A. K. Randles, Nokomis, Ill.

You forgot to buy a bottle of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral when your cold first came on, so you let it run along. Even now, with all your hard coughing, it will not disappoint you. There's a record of sixty years to fall back on.

Three sizes: 25c., 50c., $1. All druggists.

Consult your doctor. If he says take it, then do as he says. If he tells you not to take it, then don't take it. He knows. Leave it with him. We are willing.
J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

WOMEN AND JEWELS.

Jewels, candy, flowers, man—that is the order of a woman's preferences. Jewels form a magnet of mighty power to the average woman. Even the greatest of all jewels, health, is often ruined in the strenuous efforts to make or save money to purchase them, If a woman will risk her health to get the coveted gems then let her fortify herself against the insiduous consequences of colds, coughs and bronchial affections by the regular use of Dr. Boschee's German Syrup. It will promptly arrest consumption in its early stages and heal the affected lungs and bronchial tubes and drive the dread disease from the system. It is not a cure all, but it is a certain cure for coughs, colds and all bronchial troubles. You can get Dr. G. G. Green's special remedies at Haydon & Robertson. Get Green's Special Almanac.

Backache should never be neglected. It means kidney disorder, which if allowed to run too long, may result in Bright's disease, diabetes or other serious and often fatal complaints. Foley's Kidney Cure makes the kidneys well. Wood & Wimsatt.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF SPRINGFIELD, KY.

At Springfield, in the State of Kentucky, at the close of business, September 30, 1901:

NO 1767.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$154,922.11
Overdrafts secured and unsecured		2,218.15
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		50,000.00
U. S. Bonds on hand		200.00
Stocks, securities, etc		7,438.00
Banking house, Furniture & Fixtures		7,000.00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)		377.97
Due from State banks & bankers		597.67
Due from approved reserve agents		23,171.60
Notes of other National Banks		431.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		43.07
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK VIZ:		
Specie	$ 4,490.05	
Legal-tender notes	6,065.00	
		10,555.35
Redemption fund with U S Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		2,500.00
Total		$259,410.01

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$50,000.00
Surplus Fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	8,218.33
National Bank notes outstanding	50,000.00
Due to other National Banks	7,518.73
Due to State Banks and Bankers	626.93
Individual Deposits subject to check	112,189.51
Time Certificate of Deposit	30,104.35
Liabilities other than those above stated	757.17
Total	$259,410.01

STATE OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF WASHINGTON, ss:

I, A. C. McElroy, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. C. McELROY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of October, 1901.

J. A. BOULWARE, N. P. W. Co., Ky.

CORRECT—Attest:
H. M. GRUNDY
JOHN W. LEWIS } Directors.
B. L. LITSEY

S. A. Ingalls, Crown Point, N. Y., writes: "My wife suffered from kidney trouble for years. She was induced to try Foley's Kidney Cure and in less than a week after she began using it, she was greatly improved and three bottles cured her. Wood & Wimsatt.

Railroad News

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 9—It is reported in Gallatin that Peter Arlund of Louisville, has secured an option on the Chesapeake and Nashville railway, and will extend it from Gallatin to Nashville, He may come direct to Nashville or strike the Tennessee Central in Wilson county. It is said that Mr. Arlund was in Gallatin about three weeks ago, but his presence was kept secret. He had submitted a proposition to the business men and capitalists of Nashville for the subscription of $100,000 to the stock, and they in turn have asked the people of Sumner county to assist them in raising the subscription.

The matter has been taken up by the Commercial Club of Gallatin, and a committee has been appointed to confer with the people of Nashville relative to the proposition.

Roll of Honor.

The following is the Roll of Honor for District No. 3. Fifth Grade, Misses Edna Crouch, Sallie Hendren, Lettie Bishop, Master Walter Crouch, Willie Smothers and James Bishop. Fourth Grade; Chester Jenkins, Gilbert Hardin. Annie Bishop, Flossie Hardin, John Hardin, and Wade Weis: Third Grade Bessie Kays, Luke Kays, Cland Hardin' Isaac Brown, Bessie Jenkins, Gracie Cumley, Harvey Hardin and Walter Carney Second Grade; Evan Hardin, Viola Rice and Ollie Crouch. First Grade. Pearl Mattingly, Harry Brown. Mattie Brown. Clara Shepherd, Teacher;

FOREST VIEW.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

The foliage of our beautiful forest trees have been nipped by the frost and the leaves have commenced whirling and spinning to the ground, a true evidence of the fast approach of winter. The chopping of wood and the feeding of lowing stock will soon commence as the grass has every blade been licked up to the very gravel edge of our pikes by rambling herds,

There were three services at St. Rose last Sunday. Two in the morning and one in the evening. Large crowd in attendance A large number of children are preparing to be confirmed which will take place in the near future.

James Riney a highly respected citizen was stricken with paralysis one night last week, The priest and doctor were quickly called in. At this writing we learn he is no better, His son Robert is also sick something similar to flux. Great sympathy is felt for the family throughout the community.

Kent Blanford who has been sick for some time is improving.

Johnnie, a small son of Mr, Wat O'Bryan, received a fall from a horse last Friday and was severely hurt in one of his ankles. He has so far recovered as to be able to ride horseback to school.

John Medley of Louisville is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

John Brown and Henry Crouch and family of Beech Bluffs paid a visit to relatives at this place a few days since.

Bert Blanford the handsome and smiling clerk at Cunningham & Duncan,s large dry goods establishment Springfield called on us a few days since. Come again Bert we are always glad to have you,

Henry Orkies has gone to work in Thos, O'Bryan's shop, and Mr, Clay Gardener, is occupying his old stand.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. George West is going to leave us as it is a loss to lose such a man from a community,

Public Sale.

I will on Thursday, October 24 1901 at one o'clock p.m. on the farm known as the Mason Goatley farm one and a half miles from Valley Hill on the Springfield and Bloomfield pike sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder the following personal property:

Four milk cows with calves, one yearling heifer, one sow and ten pigs, one good family mare in foal by jack, one buggy and harness, a lot of poultry, household and kitchen furniture and farming implements of all kinds.

Terms: All sums of $5 and under cash in hand; all over $5 on 12 months time with note bearing 6 per cent interest negotiable and payable in bank Mrs, Rebecca Goatley. Col R E. Whayne, Auctioneer,

A report from Supt. J. C. Gill Reform School, Pruntytown, W. Va. Oct 18th, 1901. "After trying all other advertised cough medicines we have decided to use Foley's Honey and Tar exclusively in the West Virginia Reform School, I find it the most effective, and absolutely harmless.

Bodies to be Removed

Mr. J. H. Spragg, the undertaker, received a letter this morning from Mrs. Susan Vance, a lady well known here 20 years ago. Her object in writing was to get him to disinter her two sisters and three children, who are buried in the old family burying ground on the Ray farm, so that they could be re-interred beside her husband in the National Cemetery at New Albany, Ind. Mrs. Vance is now 80 years of age. She was a daughter of Col. George C. Thompson, who owned 4,000 acres of the best land in Mercer county and 300 slaves. Col. Thompson's other daughter, Letitia, married William Vance, brother of Morgan Vance, and all lived in regal style. Col. Thompson had a zoological park in a large wood and on what is now the D. J. Curry farm It was surrounded by a 15 foot stake-and-rider fence and contained bear, buffalo, camels, elk and deer. After his death it was maintained by William Vance. One day one of the bears escaped and went to the cottage of McLaughlin, the overseer and killed one of his children and maimed the others. McLaughlin and wife were out in the yard, and hearing the screams of their brood, hastened to the scene. A desperate encounter took place between man and beast and the bear was slain but McLaughlin carried the scars to his grave. The Vance brothers were southerners and met the sister belles that afterwards became their wives at Graham Springs in the hey-day of that resort. William Vance was in the bank here October 1865, the day it was raided by "One armed" Berry and his gang. The guerrillas informed those on the inside that if they did not open the doors they would kill them. Fearing they would effect an entrance and carry out their threat, Mr. Vance told the bank men if they would throw open the doors, he would indemnify them from any loss. It was not done and half an hour after Sam and his cohorts were chased out of town without any booty. William Vance died in Memphis seven years ago. Morgan Vance was the Tyrant Gessler of Mercer county in the dark days of the civil war, but the least said about him in these piping times of peace and of a reunited country is best for all concerned.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

It Happened in a Drug Store

"One day last winter a lady came to my drug store and asked for a brand of cough medicine that I did not have in stock," says a popular druggist of Ontario, N. Y. She was dissappointed and wanted to know what cough preparation I could recommend. I said to her that I could freely recommend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and that she could take a bottle of the remedy and after giving it a fair trial a few weeks if she did not find it worth the money to bring the bottle back and I would refund the price paid. In the course of a day or so the lady came back in company with a friend in need of a cough medicine and advised her to buy a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I consider that a very good recommendation for the remedy." The remedy owes its great popularity and extensive sale in a large measure to the personal recommendations of people who have been cured by its use. It is for sale by Haydon & Robertson.

Goes Like Hot Cakes

"The fastest selling article I have in my store," writes druggist C. T. Smith of Davis, Ky. "is Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, because it always cures. In my six years of sales it has never failed, I have known it to save sufferers from Throat and Lung diseases, who could get no help from doctors or any other remedy." Mothers rely on it, best physicians prescribe it, and Haydon & Robertson guarantee satisfaction or refund price. Trial bottles free. Regular sizes 50c and $1.

A Bad Breath

A bad breath means a bad stomach, a bad digestion, a bad liver. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. They cure constipation, biliousness, dyspepsia, sick headache.

25c. All druggists.

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Then use
BUCKINGHAM'S DYE for the Whiskers
50 cts. of Druggists, or R. P. Hall & Co., Nashua, N. H.

THE NEWS-LEADER

PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY MORNING.

1 A YEAR IN ADVANCE.

SPRINGFIELD, KY.

E. L. DAVISON, Jr.,

EDITOR AND PUBLISHER.

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Calls on candidates and political matter, 6 cents per line.

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Advertising contracts made on liberal terms.

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County Magistrates .... $ 2.50
County Officers 5.00
District Offices 10.00

THURSDAY OCTOBER 17, 1901.

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T. SCOTT MAYES

As a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Washington county November election 1901.

For Magistrate.

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JAMES L. MUDD

As a candidate for Magistrate in the Fredericktown and Springfield No. 9 Districts. November election 1901.

For Sheriff

We are authorized to announce

BYRON CROAKE

as a candidate for the office of Sheriff Washington county, November election 1901. Deputies, Sidney Osbourne, Ed Masters, Richard Isham.

We are authorized to announce

G. A. DOHONEY,

As a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Representative from Washington county, November election 1901.

There appears to be an epidemic of bank robberies throughout the country. An attempt was made to rob the bank at Harrodsburg last week and a pitched battle between officers and robbers occurred in the streets. Robbers wrecked a bank building at Danville O., but secured no money, as the citizens were aroused. A running fight followed, in which one robber was wounded. Near Galion, O., another bank was robbed and $40,000 is said to have been secured.

The trial of Caleb Powers charged with complicity in the murder of William Goebel is on at Georgetown. After several days a jury composed of twelve Democrats was secured and the taking of testimony has been begun,

The county clerk's official tabulation of voters registered in Louisville gives a total of 44 985 The Democratic Committee's estimate from the books was 43 199. This gives a Democratic majority of 4 197.

CARTWRIGHT'S CREEK

From our Regular Correspondent

As we have not heard from this newsy place for a long time I will venture forth again,

Mr. John E. Smith and his daughters, Mrs. J. B. and E. M Carrico spent the fore part of the week with their aunt, Mrs Cecil Lyons of Holy Cross.

Mr George Smith began laying the foundation for his new residence, Monday

Misses Harriet and Effie Buckler of Hardin's Creek were visiting Miss Nora Medley Sunday

Mr. Smith Carrico sold a mule colt to Mr. John Hill for $40,

Mrs Henry Smith is having the foundation dug for a new residence.

Miss Carrie Smith entertained a crowd of youngsters at Mr. Martin Hamilton's residence on last Wednesday.

A good crowd attended the sale of Mr. George West Thursday.

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When Coal Was Prohibited.

It makes the present generation smile to read the accounts which have come down to us concerning the prejudices which were formerly entertained against certain articles which are of everyday consumption.

For instance, it is said that when coal was first used in England the prejudice against it was so strong that the house of commons petitioned the king to prohibit the use of the "noxious" fuel.

A royal proclamation having failed to abate the nuisance, a commission was issued to ascertain who burned coal within the city of London and its neighborhood, to punish them by force for the first offense and by the demolition of their furnaces if they persisted in transgressing. A law was finally passed making it a capital offense to burn coal in the city and only permitting it to be used by forges in the vicinity. It is stated that among the records in the Tower of London a document was found according to which a man was hanged in the time of Edward I. for no other crime than having been caught burning coal. It took three centuries to entirely efface the prejudice.

Antiquity of Playing Cards.

The game of cards was first played in the east and seems to have had a military origin. Cards were introduced from Asia into Europe at the time of the crusades and were first used by necromancers to foretell fortunes. They soon became a popular amusement in the south of Europe, where the Saracens and Moors taught the people how to use them, and card playing spread to all parts of the continent. The state records of Germany mention the fact that Rudolph I., in 1275, was fond of the game and played with his courtiers.

After the invention of paper the manufacture of cards became extensive, but declined somewhat when card playing was forbidden by several of the German states and by the English government on account of the supposed immoral tendency. Before the era of paper cards in the orient were made of ivory, papyrus and canvas, less frequently of the precious metals and quite commonly of wood.

For a Very Good Reason.

"I told him I would make him eat his words," declared Mr. Beechwood hotly, speaking of a quarrel he had had with Mr. Brighton. "He has been telling things about me that are rank untruths."

"How foolishly men talk to one another!" commented Mrs. Beechwood placidly.

"What do you mean?" demanded her husband. "Do you intend to insinuate that men talk to each other more foolishly than women chatter?"

"Of course I do," the lady went on imperturbably. "Now, women never try to make each other eat their words, no matter how angry they may be."

"Certainly not," retorted Mr. Beechwood, "and for a very good reason too."

"What reason?" she demanded.

"Because their digestive apparatus is inferior to their vocabulary."—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

Why Water Won't Fry.

Why cannot we fry in water? Because water can only be heated to the boiling point, 212 degrees, and any additional heat does not increase its temperature. Two hundred and twelve degrees of heat will not brown the surface of anything. Fat, on the contrary, can be made much hotter, the temperature depending on the kind. There is a lesson here for the economical housewife. Don't stuff the stove with fuel when the vegetables, meat, etc., are already boiling. They cook no faster because of the increase of heat.

A Share In a Jewel.

There is a story told of a French servant who was shown a priceless jewel by a great duke.

"Thank you, my lord duke," said the man of science, "for allowing me to share with you the possession of so great a treasure."

"In what way?" said the duke.

"Why, your grace can do no more than look at it, and you have allowed me to do the same."—All the Year Round.

Living Like a Savage.

Civilized people will be shocked at the advice of an English physician to a wealthy patient to live like a savage to be cured. Savages, it may be recalled, do not belong to clubs, have no stock exchanges, know nothing of trust and trade combinations, run no political campaigns and so reserve some vitality and nerve force for purely living purposes.—Baltimore American.

Foolish.

Robert Lowe, afterward Lord Sherbrook, once saw a deaf member of parliament trying his best to catch with his ear trumpet the words of an extremely dull speech. "Just look at that foolish man," said Lowe, "throwing away his natural advantages."

No Deferred Payments.

"Is your daughter learning to play by note?"

"Certainly not," answered Mrs. Cumrox a little indignantly. "We pay cash for every lesson. The idea!"—Washington Star.

Well Bred.

Gentleman—That looks a well bred dog.

Owner—I should think he was, well bred. Why, he won't have a bit of dinner till he's got his collar on!—Punch.

The Nile is noted for the variety of its fish. An expedition sent by the British museum brought home 2,200 specimens.

Railways use up over 2,000,000 tons of steel a year, almost half the world's product.

Politely Put.

Anxious Father (from top of stairs)—Say, Mary Jane!

Mary Jane—Yes, papa.

Anxious Father—Is it 11 o'clock yet?

Mary Jane—Yes, papa.

Anxious Father—Well, give the young man my compliments and ask him to kindly close the front door from the outside.—Chicago News.

The Mississippi.

Before the coming of the whites to America the Mississippi river was known by a different name every few miles of its course. Each tribe that dwelt along its banks gave it a name, and more than thirty of these local designations are preserved in the narratives of the early travelers.

In Scotland a twentieth of the area is forest land. The greater portion of the country is mountain heath and lake. The cultivated land is comparatively very limited in its area.

Make Some One Happy.

Charles Kingsley thus counseled a friend: "Make it a rule and pray to God to help you to keep it never, if possible, to lie down at night without being able to say, 'I have made one human being at least a little wiser, a little happier or a little better this day.' You will find it easier than you think and pleasanter."

Bowlegged Sailors.

Sailors are a bowlegged class. An old salt always walks as if he were on the deck of a ship, and he never takes great strides like a landsman. He is used to having to walk great distances, in his imagination, on the quarter deck, and he can't get rid of the habit of making the most of his promenade.

The Sponge.

The sponge reproduces its kind mainly by eggs. In each animal are contained both the male and the female elements, and it throws out the ova to be hatched in the water. At first the young are free swimming, and afterward they attach themselves to convenient spots and grow.

The Camphor Eater.

It is surprising what a number of camphor eaters there are among the well to do classes. The idea seems to prevail that this gum, taken in small and regular doses, gives a peculiarly clear creaminess of complexion, and scores of young women buy it for this purpose. The habit is, moreover, very difficult to cast off, for camphor produces a mild form of exhilaration and stupefaction, and in many instances where very large doses have been swallowed the habit has become a sort of slavery.

These camphor eaters all have a dreamy, dazed and very listless air, and in most of them there is an ever present longing to sleep or at least to rest. Extreme weakness generally follows the taking of regular doses, and I have seen cases where it has been almost difficult to tell the effects from those of alcohol. As to the complexion, if a ghastly pallor be an improvement camphor certainly produces it.—Clinic.

Grain Moved In Streams.

Nowhere in North America will you come on a more thrilling night scene than the fresh water cargo tank unloading at Buffalo, says Rollin Lynde Hartt in The Atlantic. Here she lies beneath the towering grain elevator, which thrusts a long pumping pipe (called the "leg") down through her hatchway. Mount the gangplank, dodging the spinning ropes that make your head reel, stumble about on the dark deck, look down, down, down through the open hatch, and, zounds, what a sight! The hold glows with electricity. It is misty with blown dust. It roars with mechanical activity.

An enormous steel "shovel," big as the inside of a house and manipulated by countless flying ropes, charges back and forth through the whole length of the ship, pitching the yellow grain before it and heaping it up where the leg can get hold of it to whisk it into the bin that is somewhere up in the sky. Beneath, in the hold, an army of blue clad men with wooden "scoops" barely dodge the deadly shovel as they swing the grain into its path.

Observations by Mildred.

Scene: Tramcar. Dramatis personæ: Four-year-old girl, mother and several passengers.

Child (in high, shrill treble)—Mamma, did you get papa's birthday present?

"Yes, dearest."

"What did you get, mamma?"

"Cigars, lovey."

"The cheap ones that Aunt Millie told you about?"

Silence from mamma, but a heightened flush on her face that was not entirely the reflection from "dearest lovey's" red velvet hat.

"Mamma, that man over there has on a dreadfully dirty necktie. You told papa the other day that no gentleman would wear a soiled necktie."

Man glares and pulls his coat about his neck.

"Mildred, stop talking."

Mildred was silent for a little while.

"Mamma, that lady over there forgot to polish her shoes this morning."—London Spare Moments.

All Cheese Is Densely Populated.

Professor Adametz, who devoted considerable time to the study of the fragrant subject, said that the population of an ordinary cheese when a few weeks old is greater than the number of persons upon the earth

Professor Adametz made some interesting researches dealing with the minute organisms found in cheese. From a microscopic examination of a soft variety of Gruyere cheese he obtained the following statistics: In fifteen grains of cheese, when perfectly fresh, from 90,000 to 140,000 microbes were found, and when the cheese was seventy days old the population had increased to 800,000 in each fifteen grains. An examination of a denser cheese at twenty-five days old proved it to contain 1,200,000 in each gram (about fifteen grains), and when forty-five days old 2,000,000 in the same small particle.

Spiders Are Industrious.

No small insect ever escapes from the web of a spider, a fact which is not to be wondered at when it is considered that an ordinary sized snare may contain as many as 120,000 viscid globules. The spinner is constantly engaged in repairing injuries to the web inflicted by wind, stray leaves or captured insects. Once a day the whole snare is subjected to rigorous examination, and any broken or loosened threads are adjusted.—Cornhill Magazine.

Thunder.

Winter thunder is considered throughout Europe to be of very ill omen, but April thunder is considered to be very beneficial. In Devonshire and other elder counties of England there is a saying that "when it thunders in April you must clean up the barrels"—in readiness, that is, for a plentiful crop of apples.

The French consider April thunder to be indicative of a good yield from their vineyards and cornfields.

Chance For Vengeance.

Simson (angrily)—I have sent the editor of The Hightone Magazine forty-two of my poems, and he has returned every one of them.

Friend—Don't send him any more. He might get mad.

"Suppose he should. What could he do?"

"He might publish one of them under your real name."—New York Weekly.

Abandoned Cisterns.

An abandoned cistern is often a dangerous thing and should be filled, as stagnant water which may remain in it is a common source of disease. If this cannot be done at once, it is a good plan to throw in proper disinfectants and gradually fill it up with sifted coal ashes

The Real Bitterness.

Mamma—But, darling, why should you object to taking the good doctor's advice?

Bobby—It isn't his advice, mamma. It's his horrid old medicine that I hate to take.—Chicago News.

Why He Never Attains Her Ideal.

A man who is earning the living for a family doesn't have time to live up to his wife's ideals, and by the time he has made his money he is too old and wants to be comfortable.—Atchison (Kan.) Globe.

To make good tea and coffee the water should be taken at the first bubble. Remember continued boiling causes the water to part with its gases and become flat. This is the cause of much bad tea and coffee.—Ladies' Home Journal.

Riding the Wooden Horse.

Torture on a grand scale went out with Felton, the assassin of Buckingham, but torture on a small scale continued to be practiced on military offenders down to the eighteenth century. The form most frequently resorted to was that known as the wooden horse, to ride which was the punishment accorded for petty thefts, insubordination and so on. The wooden horse was made of planks nailed together so as to form a sharp ridge or angle about eight or nine feet long. This ridge represented the back of the horse and was supported by four posts or legs about five feet high placed on a stand made movable by truckles. To complete the resemblance to the noblest animal in creation a head and tail were added.

When a soldier was sentenced, either by court martial or by his commanding officer, to ride the horse, he was placed on the brute's back, with his hands tied behind him, and frequently enough, in order to increase the pain, muskets were fastened to his legs to weigh them down or, as was jocularly said, to prevent the fiery, untamed, barebacked steed from kicking him off.—London Graphic.

THE GAME OF SLIP SLAP.

It Is For Little Girls and Is Just Long Enough For Recess.

There are not many games that are short enough to be played during recess, and most of those that are are very old. Here is a game that is great fun and is just the right length to come to a close a little before the bell rings which summons you to your seats.

This game is called "slip slap" and requires a long thin piece of twine and an ordinary sized spool. Run the cord through the spool and then tie the ends of the cord together, making a circle which should be large enough to hold four little girls. Two girls are selected to "choose up sides," each one choosing three to play with her, making four on each side.

The girls who choose are the captains of their side, and the side which has "last choose" stands in a ring holding the cord in their hands. The captain has the spool under one of her hands holding the cord. The other side must stand loose together inside the ring made by the cord and facing the others. Then the captain of the side inside the ring cries, "Slip!" and the other side dance twice around them, slipping the spool to one another along the rope as they go and doing their best to keep the other side from seeing who has it. When they have been completely around the others twice, the captain of the side in the center cries, "Slap!" and the others instantly stand still, and the one who has the spool holds her hand over it, hiding it completely.

The captain of the side inside the ring must at once slap gently one hand of the girl whom she thinks is holding the spool. If she is right and touches the hand that holds the spool, her side scores two points, but if the girl should have the spool in her other hand they score one point. In either case the sides change places. If the captain guesses wrong and the girl whose hand she touches does not have the spool at all, the side outside the cord scores one point, both sides remain where they are, and they go on as before until the captain inside the ring does guess right, when the sides change places.

The game should be ten points, but you can change this to suit the length of your recess, reducing it to seven or increasing it to fifteen points, as you please.

This is an especially good game for a rainy day, when you cannot go to the playground.

A Young Bondholder.

When President Eugene Lewis of the Cincinnati gymnasium stated that "even babies" were bondholders of the new gym, he told the truth. Frank Foucar Mills, the seventeen-month-old son of Assistant Superintendent Mills of the institution, probably enjoys the distinction of being the youngest bondholder in America if not in the world. Young Mr. Mills was honored by the board of directors of the gymnasium by being awarded bond No. 1. The youngster's father is one of the best all around athletes in the west, and the babe may prove to be a chip off the old block.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

FRANK FOUCAR MILLS.

A Dog Doctor's Advice.

Don't overfeed your dog. Overfeeding causes nine-tenths of the diseases of dogs. The dog will be a law unto himself in the matter if you will allow him and have not already spoiled him. Place a dish of food before him, and if the food exceeds his capacity he will try to hide some of it for a time when he will need it. Dogs are naturally more economical than man. Let the amount you give him, less what he carried away and hid, be your measure. Never give him more afterward. He has taught you what his capacity is. Bear in mind that a female eats more than a male.

A puppy should be fed three times a day. A dog over one year should not be fed more than once, and the middle of the day is the best time.

Jakey's Explanation.

Jakey was a little German boy who was always late in getting to school. One day, however, he arrived before the bell rang, and, running up to the teacher, he cried:

"Vell, today I am pefore at last. I always vas pehine pefore."

An Honest Confession.

I'm fond of nice stories of giants and witches,
Who live all alone by themselves;
Of gnomes, underground, who are guarding their riches,
And dragons and goblins and elves.

I love tales of wizards, with stern, bearded faces
And wands and long robes of deep red,
But—I wish there were not quite so many dark places
To be passed when I'm going to bed!

About Ozone.

Many people talk about ozone without so much as knowing what ozone is. There is a prevalent idea that it is something you get at the sea and that it is good for the lungs. What that something is, however, few people have sufficient curiosity to inquire. Ozone is what chemists call an allotropic form of oxygen—that is to say, it is oxygen in a highly active and concentrated condition. In ordinary pure air ozone exists, but only in what chemists call "traces." Larger amounts are found in ocean and mountain air. It instantly disappears when brought in contact with decaying matter, dissipating itself, as it were, in the act of oxidizing that matter.

Ozone is known to occur more plentifully during thunderstorms, and we have, of course, the analogy of its being artificially produced from oxygen by electrical discharges in the laboratory. On the body ozone is believed to act as a stimulant; hence the popular notion of its beneficial effects as experienced by the sea, but in any greater amount than mere traces it is a violent irritant. One authority goes the length of asserting that it is doubtful whether it is beneficial to animal life at all.

Crabs Are Fighters.

Crabs are fighting animals. In fact, they will fight anything, says a naturalist. I have seen a crab, in conflict with a lobster, catch the latter over the fore part of the head, where the shell is hardest, and crush it in by one effort, and it rather bears out my idea that the claws of these creatures are particularly weapons of war; that the moment one of them receives severe injury in a claw it drops it off by voluntary amputation, severing its connection with the body at the shoulder by an act of its own will. It seems to me probable that if the claw were necessary for feeding nature would rather seek to cure an injury to it than let the animal discard it altogether.

The species of crab which is most conspicuously a fighter is the hermit crab. Its first idea of independent life is to eat a harmless whelk and occupy its shell. Its next notion is to give battle to every crab of the same persuasion as itself that it comes across. Altogether hermit crabs are undoubtedly the most quarrelsome creatures in existence.

The Hand Kiss.

The kiss of the hand is undoubtedly ancient and therefore is not derived from that of the lips, but probably the converse is true. The hand kiss is loosely asserted to be developed from servile obeisances in which the earth, the foot and the garments were kissed, the hand and cheek succeeding in order of time and approach to equality of rank. But it is doubtful if that was the actual order, and it is certain that at the time when hand kissing began there were less numerous gradations of rank than at a later stage.

Kissing of the hands between men is mentioned in the Old Testament, also by Homer, Pliny and Lucian. The kiss was applied reverentially to sacred objects, such as statues of the gods, as is shown by ancient works of art, and also among numerous etymologies by that of the Latin word "adoro," and it was also metaphorically applied by the inferior or worshiper kissing his own hand and throwing the salute to the superior or statue.

Convincing.

The methods employed by ex-Governor Throckmorton of Texas to make clear the claims of his clients were perhaps unlike those of any other lawyer, but they often carried conviction with them.

At one time he was defending a man who was on trial for murder in Gainesville, Tex. He desired to make it plain to the jury that the man whom his client had killed, although in his shirt sleeves and without a pistol pocket, might have been well armed.

"Can you see any signs of arms about me?" demanded the general, taking off his coat and standing before the jurors.

They shook their heads.

"Watch me!" he said dramatically, and with that he proceeded to draw a pistol from under each arm, one from each boot leg and from the back of his neck a bowie knife of most sinister aspect.—Youth's Companion.

Hearing a Fly Walk.

As the fly glides rapidly over a smooth surface every step presses out a supply of gum strong enough to give him a sure footing and to sustain him in safety if he halts. So strong is the cement that that upon one of his six feet is quite sufficient to sustain the weight of his whole body. But if he stands still the gum may dry up and harden quickly and so securely fasten the traveler's foot as to make a sudden step snap the leg itself.

If you wish to hear a fly walk, you can do it without the aid of the megaphone. Having made friends with the fly, spread a silk handkerchief over your ear and induce the insect to crawl across the handkerchief. As he approaches your ear you will distinctly hear a harsh, rasping sound, made by the contact of the insect's feet with the filaments of silk.

Two Good Arguments.

"I say that Adam and Eve never existed," declared the first theological disputant.

"Oh, but they did," answered the second theological disputant.

"How do you know they did? Were you there?"

"How do you know they didn't? Were you there?"—Baltimore American.

Giants Nearly Twenty Feet Tall.

The giant Ferragus, who was slain by Orlando the nephew of Charlemagne, was eighteen feet high. He always accompanied the army on foot, there being no horse tall and strong enough to carry him. Platerus in his published writings tells of a giant whom he examined at Lucerne whose body measured 19 feet 4 inches and 8 lines.

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Colored Swedes.

A little Swedish monthly magazine published in New York city requested its readers a short time ago to send in accounts of the experiences they had when they first arrived in this country. Here is the prize specimen: "In my unsophisticated days I once started out to call upon a girl I had known in the old country. I was told that she lived at Madison avenue and —— street. When I reached that corner, I was in doubt which house to try, but I finally went up the steps of one that faced on the avenue and rang the bell. A girl came to the door. 'Does Miss Nelson live here?' I asked as politely as I could.

"'I don't know any such person,' she answered, and I was turning away when she called after me, 'Is she white?'

"That irritated me. 'Did you ever know any Swedes who were colored?' I asked.

"'Well, I have seen some green Swedes,' was her retort, and I did not continue the conversation.

Trials of a Lecturer.

A well known English woman lecturer tells these stories at her own expense:

"I was," she says, "on a tour through the provinces, and one night as I appeared on the platform in a small town the chairman introduced me to my audience in the following way: 'You have heard of Mr. Gladstone, the Grand Old Man. Let me now introduce to you the grand old woman.' This was intended as a sincere compliment.

"On another occasion a bluff old farmer, who boasted of his ability to look on all sides of a question, announced me as follows: 'This lady's come here to talk about her rights,' he said. 'She's hired the hall, and so she's got a right to be here, and if any of you don't like what she's got to say you've got an equal right to walk out in the middle on't.'"

Away From Home.

It is becoming the fashion for a woman to seek a maternity hospital that her children may be born amid conveniences lacking at home. The children are sent away from home to school. They are married away from home, and members of the family are taken to hospitals for their final illness and buried from an undertaker's parlor. It is becoming a fashion to take everything from home except the family rows. They are still sacred to the family hearth.—Atchison Globe.

Italian Brigandage In 1848.

One summer evening in the crowded theater an impatient house demanded the drawing of the curtain preliminary to the first act. When at last it was upraised Il Passatore and his armed band occupied the stage, with muskets aimed at the affrighted audience. The chief stated that he should levy a tax per head, which he then and there collected. The gang made off with their booty unmolested.—Lady Prestureh's "Essays."

G. C. WHARTON Real Estate and Insurance Agent

Read this list and see if there is anything upon it that you like. If so write for further particulars and you will be answered in full. Write promptly, as any of them are here to be sold and at any time. If you don't see what you want here hand this to your neighbor and write me, as I have others, and will be glad to answer you. I have refused every entry that in my judgment was priced above the market current of its class, and those that have listed their farms with me want to sell badly, not because they want a profit, but because some of them want to go into other business and others need the money, and now is your chance for bargains. I am prepared to fill your demand.

No. 1. 350 acre farm 1 mile from Springfield, on a good road. This farm is in high state of cultivation has a house with 8 rooms, 2 halls, all necessary outbuildings, first-class tobacco land and will certainly make some one a fine home.

No. 3. 216 acre farm 2 miles from Springfield on pike, fairly good improvement, land in good state of cultivation and well watered, $25 per acre.

No 6 137½ acre farm. 5½ miles from Springfield, land in fine state of cultivation, first class farm house, 2 story, 8 rooms, 2 halls, fine well, good barn and crib and all outbuildings price $37.50

No. 10 Farm of 304 acres good improvements, well fence and watered Price $40 per acre.

No. 11 304 acre farm 3½ miles from Springfield, first class brick house 8 rooms, 3 halls, good stock and tobacco barn, crib and granery, wel fenced, price $40 per acre

No 12 100 acre farm 7 miles from Springfield at Texas, small dwelling and barn, fine land, all in grass, price $35 per acre.

No. 13 140 acre farm 6 miles from Springfield all improved except house first class land, price $40

No 14 338 acre farm 6 miles from Springfield, Good 6 room dwelling house large stock and tobacco barn, price $25 per acre

No 15 220 acre farm 6 miles from Springfield, good dwelling house 7 rooms, large stock and tobacco barn, first class tenant house, good land price $30 per acre

No 16 277 acre farm 10 miles from Springfield, new improvements of every kind, good tenant house and tobacco barn, near good school and church, price $25 per acre

No 17 301 acre farm 7 miles from Springfield, good improvement of every kind, in good state of cultivation near school, church or postoffice, price 28 per acre.

No 20 146 acre farm 1¼ from Springfield good 5 room dwelling, good stock barn and crib, first class well and orchard, price $25 per acre

No 21 147 acres, large tobacco barn, good dwelling house, land in fine state of cultivation, price $30 per acre.

No 22 169 acre farm 4½ miles from Springfield on county road first class frame house 7 rooms, good stock barn and tobacco barn well fenced and watered, price $25 per acre

No 23 187 acre farm 6 miles from Springfield, good 3 room house, good stock barn, price $16

No 24 350 acre farm 6 miles from Springfield on pike, good two story frame house, stock and tobacco barn, well watered and fenced, mostly in grass, price 20 per acre.

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Sheriff's Sale FOR TAXES.

By virtue of taxes due the State of Kentucky and county of Washington I will as Sheriff offer for sale at the Courthouse door in Springfield on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1901,

at about 1 o'clock p.m., the following property or so much thereof as will satisfy the amount of tax and costs, to-wit:

Pottsville District—Debo Boswell, for the years 1899, 1900 and 1901, amount of taxes and costs $9.30.

Pottsville—Colored—Mary Edelen's heirs, for the 1896 to 1901, inclusive. Amount of taxes and cost, $10.95.

H. B. POWELL,
Sheriff of Washington Co.

Kelly Shop District—S. G. Hardeson land for years 1898, 1899, 1900 nd 1901 taxes and costs $128.00.

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Look with horror on Skin ruptions, Blotches, Sores, mples. They don't have them r will any one, who uses Buck 's Arnica Salve. It glorifies e face. Eczema or Salt Rheum nish before it. It cures sore s, chapped hands, chilblains. allible for Piles. 25c at Hay- & Robertson's drug store.

nas. R. Wessmar, Evanstown, Ill, es; "My boy 2½ years old had a se- cold which refused to yeild to any ment until we tried Foley's ey and Tar. He was completely before useing one bottle." none but Foley's.

ABOUT TOWN.

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Fresh fish and oysters every Friday at J. A. Shader's.

Pretty new styles of dress goods skirts and suits at Mansfields,

First class seed wheat for sale at Thompson & Lake's.

Large stock pretty new styles of ladie's cloaks at Mansfields.

One Curtis and Reed phaeton for sale. Apply to John C. Shader.

Ladies shoes that fit well wear well and look well at Mansfields.

Fresh bread baked daily on sale. Five cents per loaf or six loaves for a quarter. J. A. Shader.

Grigsby tests your eyes free.

The house and lot near the depot belonging to J. A. Hendren has been sold to Thompson and Lake for $950,

Mansfield is showing a very large and attractive line of tailor made suits, elegant skirts and waists, fine dress goods and cloaks,

The public sale of Mr. George T. West's property consisting of live stock, farming implements, etc., took place Tuesday. The sale was well attended and prices ruled high,

Mr. John F. Ryan had a public sale of household goods and other personal property on last Saturday. Mr. Ryan will move with his family to Louisville shortly.

Mr. G. C. Wharton... the real estate agent sold for Oscar Drury his farm near Texas to Robert Young and D. Cocanougher. The farm contains 100 acres and sold for $6.200,

Dr George M. Shaunty has been appointed on the local Board of Pension Examiners The place has been vacant since the resignation of Dr. W. W. Ray several months ago.

Grigsby for fine watch repairing.

The lecture by Rev Father McKenna which was announced to take place at the Opera House on last Tuesday night was called off on account of Father McKenna being unexpectedly called to New York.

Rev. S. P. Stiles, the new pastor of the Methodist church is here this week and will hold services at the church on next Sunday. Mr Stiles's family will join him here in a few days and they will go to housekeeping in the parsonage.

Since purchasing my fall stock of goods I have decided to move away from Springfield and therefore I will offer my store house full of new fall goods during the months of October, November December at very reduced prices as all must be sold by 1902, J. G. Mansfield.

Mr. S. B. Thompson is contemplating having a combination sale of horses and other live stock some time in the near future. Mr. Thompson is a good manager of a public sale and if he succeeds in getting this one up it will be a good one.

There was a bowling contest at the local alleys on last Thursday night, or rather a game, the affair being too one-sided to be called a contest. We were unable to obtain the score of the games owing to the fact that the record made by the Springfield bowlers was so low that all figures were wiped off the board and all evidence of the crime destroyed. The Bardstown team numbers some first class bowlers and they put up a fast game. The highest score was made by Fulton of Bardstown, who had 217 to his credit in one game.

Lost Dog.

A black and white setter dog about one year old, with a scar on left shoulder lost about ten days ago. Inquire at this office and get reward.

Taken Up

At my farm on the Bardstown road a red heifer weighing about 700 pounds, with only one small horn. Owner can have same by claiming property and paying for this notice. G. W. Clements.

Grigsby has glasses to fit everyone.

E. F. Mayes Dead.

Mr. E. F. Mayes died yesterday at noon at the home of his brother Mr. T. Scott Mayes where he had gone the evening before to spend the night. The immediate cause of his death was paralysis, with which he was stricken just twelve hours before he died. He had been in failing health for nearly a year being a sufferer from Brights disease or a similar ailment which had thoroughly undermined a robust constitution.

There were few more popular men than Lige Mayes. Big hearted and generous to a fault, he had a way of making acquaintances and friends, that few possessed. He had been a travelling salesman a good part of his life and had a large circle of friends throughout the state, He was born in Taylor nearly 48 years ago and was a son of the late of Mr. James Mayes. In his early boyhood his parents moved to this county and Lige Mayes grew up here and had made Springfield and Washington county his home every since. For quite a number of years he was in the U. S. Internal Revenue Service as Gauger and was at various times stationed at different points throughout the State. In about the year 1822 he married Miss Mollie Robertson who with their two children Miss Willie and little Charles survive. The funeral will take place from the Presbyterian church on Friday morning.

Grigsby, the Spectacle fitter.

For Rent.

A house, garden and cow pasture for 'rent' 4½ miles from Springfield on the Cartwrights Creek Dirt Road between the St Mary,s and St Rose Turnpikes. Rates reasonable. Six rooms. J. K. Walls.

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House with lot containing 2½ acres of ground, situated on the Bloomfield pike 2½ miles from town. Good house with all necessary out buildings.

For terms and further particulars apply to or address.

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MOORESVILLE.

From Our Special Correspondent.

Hon. Jere O'Meare addressed the voters at Mooresville last Saturday.

Sorghum making is the order of the day.

Messrs. D. M. Boblitt and Will Goatley are both very low with typhoid fever.

The following real estate transfers were made last week: Sam Tingle farm to Sid Grigsby, Fred Cheatham a farm to Sam Tingle; Theo Grigsby a farm to C. R Grisby: Jerome Trent a farm to J. N. Bodine; Keightly and Royalty a farm for William Cheatham, Prices unknown,

Protracted meeting closed at New Hope Baptist Church last Thursday night. One by letter and eleven by baptism. They were baptised in Mooresville pond last Friday evening before a large crowd of spectators, The following were baptised Misses Nettie Merritt Texie Barlow, Lida Virgin, Martha Gray, Emiline Coulter, and Mrs. Malissa Weekly, Messrs. James Carey, Ed Grigsby, Henry Royalty, Tom Mattingly and Ernest Gray.

Mr. James Gribbins and wife of Taylor county visited his sons at this place last week.

Miss Estella Ellis is visiting Mrs. Susan Parrish near Maple Hill this week.

Jimmie Moore has announced himself as a candidate for constable in this and Brush Grove precincts. We wish him success.

A Mr. Jenkins of Hardin county was here last week looking for Shorthorn calves.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

ERSONAL

Dr. W. C. Grigsby has returned from a visit to friends in Illinois.

Mrs. P. C. Cleaver entertained at euchre on last Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. C. H. Nelson and Miss Lizzie Besley left this week for a visit to the Buffalo exposition,

Mrs. Chas. D. Gates of Louisville was the guest of relatives here for a few days last week.

Mr. George W. Greene and Miss Mag Shader of Louisville visited relatives here last week,

Quite a number of local Masons are in Louisville this week attending a meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons.

Mr. Will Wharton has returned from Bardstown, he and Dr. Burton having sold out their bowling alley to a Bardstown company.

Hamilton Robertson has returned from Colorado where he has been staying for his health. He was considerably benefited by his trip.

Mr. and Mrs. John Riney of Louisville were called here this week by the serious illness of Mr James Riney of the St. Rose neighborhood.

WILLISBURG

From our Regular Correspondent

Mr. Ellis Warner, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Green Warner of this place died of typhoid fever on last Thursday. The funeral services were conducted at the Christian church at this place of which he was a member, by Eld. Couch and the remains were interred at the Fairview cemetery, He was twenty two years of age and everything was done for him in the way of medical attention, but Almigthy God in his infinite wisdom deemed it best to take him from our midst. He was a young man worthy of esteem and respect and had many friends throughout this country. We extend to the bereaved parents our heartfelt sympathy and direct their torn and bleeding hearts to the Supreme Being for comfort and consolation.

"Pause blooming youth as you pass by,
As you are now so once was I,
As I am now so you must be.
Prepare in death and follow me."

The residence of John McIlvoy was destroyed by fire last Sunday morning. There were only a few things saved and no insurance.

Mrs. Susan Meritt has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs Dr Barnett near Sparrow.

Mrs, Sallie Howard who has been visiting friends near Lawrenceburg last Sunday returned to this place to have her eyes treated by Dr. W. W. Hyatt.

Mr. Will Clavbrooke of your town spent last Thursday with Dr. W W. Hyatt.

Mr. Ruel E Foster of Springfield passed through this town Sundry morning enroute to Tablow.

Mr Leslie Baxter and Miss Mary Scrogham were married at the home of Elder J. A. Simms last Wednesday.

Elder J. A. Simms has been called to Lone Ridge, Nelson county to hold a revival at the Christian churches.

An Ordinance.

The Board of Trustees of the town of Springfield, Ky., do ordain as follows:

That a brick pavement be made on the south side of West Main Street beginning at a point where the pavement now terminates at the northwest corner of the Curry residence (now owned by T. W. Simms) west with Main St. including the Curry lot and the property of T. H. Waters fronting and abutting thereon, to a point where the curbing ends just below the street crossing in front of the Catholic church. Said improvements to be completed within 30 days after the passage of this Ordinance. In the event either or both of aforesaid property owners fail or refuse to comply with the requirements of this ordinance, the Board of Trustees may have said pavement or pavements made at the expense of the respective property owners and said expense shall become a lien upon said property or properties to satisfy the cost of the respective improvements heretofore set out,

A. R. SHULTZ, Chm, B. T
H. R THOMPSON, Clk.

FREDERICKTOWN

From our Regular Correspondant.

Miss Mary Hamilton is in Louisville this week to be present at her brother's wedding that takes place Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Annie Carney returned to her home Monday after a visit to her father J. A. Symoson.

Dr. Hawes has returned to Louisville after a few days visit here the guest of Miss Mary Hamilton.

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Dr. Sim Thompson visited relatives here Sunday.

Paul. Shaunty of Crawford's High School is at home for a fewdays.

Mr. Patterson of Loretto is visiting Henry and Arthur Caskey

Miss Cecil of Kansas is visiting Miss Lida Mattingly.

Misses Piety and Fannie B. Smith of your town visited friends here Sunday,

Miss Josie Stewart and Mack Wheatley of near here were married Tuesday morning.

Born to the wife of Mr. Hugh Auberry October 18, a girl

George Clements, Forrest Cecil and Tom Grundy were visiting friends here Sunday.

Miss Katie Shaunty and Thos, Mudd were in Lebanon Saturday

Mrs. Jane Ross has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Sweeney Yankey.

Terrible Accident.

At noon yesterday, Will Maupin aged about twenty three, accidentally shot and killed his young wife Ermine, at their home near the factory of Mr. Joe Haydon for whom the young man worked.

The sad affair occured about as follows; "The coup'e were seated at a table' eating their dinner when a troublesome dog came up and stood in the doorway. Mr Maupin, who had often threatened to kill the hound rose, reached after his rifle, pulled back the hammer and put his finger on the trigger, His wife sat between him and the door way and as he approached, she said, don't shoot the dog," at the same time taking hold of the gun attempting to pull it from him. The dangerous weapon, ready for deadly work, went off, the ball striking her in the left temple and ploughing its way through her brain She fell to the floor and in a very few minutes was dead, At the time she reached for the gun, she held in her arms their eight months old child, which received a painful hurt in the head by the fall.

Maupin is an industrious quiet citizen and the calamity has almost made him insane Only a few moments before an employe of the factory was in the room where the little family were quietly eating their meal and chatting happily. When the terrible deed occured there was no one present except himself, wife and child but his conduct and the plausable story, which he told at once of how the appalling tragedy took place impressed everyone with the belief that it was an accident and that his statement was true.—Lebanon Enterprise.

In Memory of Gilbert Campbell.

How heavily the words, "he has gone" fall upon our hearts: Never to see again. Those smiling eyes, kiss the rosy lips feel the baby arms around our neck or hear the baby voice as it whispers "Mamma. Papa:" We know little Gilbert,s baby hands will gather no flowers for us, or his gentle footsteps be music to our ears and while we understand not only has he been taken across those waves that moan beyond our mortal shore" yet we feel that his short life has left its impress on us, and what is obscure will some time some where be made clear His toys, his little dresses he wore, the empty baby buggy, the vacant chair and the memory of the baby smiles and sighs are all we have now, but by these we may be anchored at the cross of a sympathizing Christ who will enable us to "tread this weary earth content, to clasp him on the other shore. Mother sister and brothers prepare to meet little Gilbert in a better, brighter world above, and to his little baby brother and sister O-car and Lilly, be good and you will meet little Gilbert in the sweet bye and bye.

Aunt Lucy,

Oct. 16th 1901.

FOR SALE—First class farm of 190 acres near railroad and turn pike, convenient to churches and schools. For particulars apply to W. K. Marks at lumber yard.

Bunkoing a Japanese.

"J. P. G." was only an enlisted man in Uncle Sam's navy, but his messmates called him "the Swell" because whenever he went ashore he carried a suit of civilian's clothes. At Yokohama, in his fine raiment and a white felt hat, he passed himself off to a Japanese coal merchant as the paymaster of the fleet and contracted for several thousand tons of coal. The price named was $14 a ton.

"What is my rake off?" he asked the dealer, who offered a generous commission. "Make the price sixteen dollars a ton and have —— thousand tons ready for delivery at the earliest possible hour tomorrow morning," he said.

The merchant opened wine, and when thoroughly warmed up the sailor remarked, looking indolently at his watch: "By the bye, I'm expected to visit the club tonight, and it is probable that I may need a little more money than I have in my pocket. Perhaps you had better advance me three or four thousand dollars on account."

Of course he got what he wanted. Next morning the vessels were surrounded with scores of barges laden with coal, and it was all the officers could do to prevent the Japs from unloading their cargoes. The dealer dared say nothing, for he had entered into a conspiracy to defraud the government, so he pocketed his loss in silence.—New York Press.

Now They Never Speak.

A coolness growing out of the following conversation has sprung up between Jones and Smith.

"I had a splendid time last night," said Jones. "I spent the evening at a little social gathering at the Goodman mansion."

"Are the Goodmans nice people?" queried Smith.

"Well, I should say so. They are very aristocratic. To get into their circle one must have either a great deal of money or a great deal of genius."

"You don't tell me so? And you say you were there?"

"Yes."

"You were invited, were you?"

"Of course."

"And to be invited a man has to have plenty of money or a great deal of genius?"

"Precisely."

"Well, Jones, I am very glad to hear you have become rich all of a sudden. Lend me five pounds!"—London Answers.

Reasons For a Divorce.

The Druses sometimes divorce their wives for apparently the most trivial causes. Thus a man named Soleiman Attaia had a wife, Isbakyeh. The woman frequently worked for us, and on several occasions I had to complain that she talked too much and worked too little At length I was obliged to tell Soleiman that owing to his wife's laziness I could employ her no longer. Shortly afterward I went to England.

On my return after a couple of months' absence I was surprised to find that Soleiman had divorced Isbakyeh and had already married another woman. On inquiring from him the cause of this he replied, "Your honor told me that you would not employ my wife again, so I thought I would get rid of her and marry another woman whom you would employ."—Blackwood's Magazine.

Coaling a British Visitor.

A big British battleship coming here to attend a patriotic function of some kind on the invitation of our government ran short of coal, and Uncle Sam as host, agreed to fill her bunkers free of charge. This courtesy was done through the medium of a Jersey City merchant, who supplied fine furnace coal, worth from $6 to $7 a ton and presented his bill to the English captain. "Send it to the navy department," said the latter, and to Washington it went, to be returned by the next mail with a memorandum attached saying that an error had been made in the charge, "the government contract calling for coal at $1 a ton." And that is all the smart Jerseyite ever received.—New York Press.

No Rebate.

When Adelina Patti visited Madrid one time in company with her husband, Signor Nicolini, who thought himself a tenor singer, there was an effort to engage the noted artist for an especial occasion. The opera director asked:

"How much will you charge us if you and your honored husband appear on this occasion for one night?"

"Ten thousand francs, sir."

"And how much if you come without the signor, madame?"

"Ten thousand francs."

Catherine de' Medici.

Catherine de' Medici of France was a tall, dignified woman of striking personal appearance. Her manner was often cold and repulsive, her language haughty. She was never popular or well liked. Her features were regular, and the chief merit of her countenance was a full black eye that seemed to fascinate those on whom she looked.

Jungle Talk.

"Hello! Where are you going?" cried the lion as the fleet footed stag dashed by him.

"Oh, I'm just traveling for my health," panted the stag. "Why do you ask?"

"My friend the tiger invited me to participate in a stag dinner party today, and I was wondering if you were the party."—Philadelphia Press.

A Lesson In Washing.

Pliny the Great could see things in front of his nose as well as afar off. "I notice that the women rub the washing in cold water," he wrote one day. "Let them heat the water, and the alkali in the soap will be freed and take far better effect." And only after that did women know how to wash.

Gold.

The specific gravity of gold is 19.50—that is, it weighs nineteen and a half times as much as its own bulk of water. The ductility and malleability of this metal are equaled by no other. By ductility is meant the property of allowing itself to be drawn out into a wire and by malleability its property of flattening without splitting under the hammer.

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We enjoy the distinction of carrying the largest and best assortment of Merchandise ever shown in Springfield. Our stock of Dress Goods include a great variety of Foreign and Domestic Fabrics in Storm Serges 50c to $1 per yd. Meltonetts 60c to $1,50 per yd. Soleils $1 to $1.25 per yd. Prurellas 60c to $1,50 Waist Cloth 25 to 75c. Broad Cloth $1 to $1.75. Sacking Flannels and Flannelletes in great variety.

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Have You Any Building To Do?

If So Remember That

The Springfield Lumber Co.,

Has a nice line of all kinds of building Material, and it is more than possible that they can suit you in prices, and it might be well to get their prices, even if you don't intend to buy from them You will find them always accommodating, They are also doing contract work, and if you do not want to look after the building of your house yourself, they will do this for you. They have just about completed their building on Lebanon St., and are just getting opened up for business.

Don't listen to what other people say about us, but call and see for yourself.

MYSTERIOUS

Murder Case at Bardstown That Has Never Been Solved.

Seventy five years ago Samuel James, a tailor, occupied one room on the "Brick Row," on Arch street, as a tailorshop, Bartholomew Burke, a single man aged about fifty years, was employed as assistant by the tailor. Burke was a Scotchman, was steady in his habits and made few acquaintances. He slept in the shop in a room partitioned off at the rear end as a matter of economy to himself and protection to the store. He had always had the store open and ready for business every morning before James arrived. On the morning of July 26, 1826, James found upon going to his shop that it was not open as usual—that the door was not only closed but locked. Looking in the keyhole he saw there was no key in it, and having no key that would fit it, he pounded loudly upon the door, but did not get any response from within. He then came to the conclusion that something was wrong and called a passer by and told him the state of affairs. With help James soon forced the door open and stepped within. A large bloodstain was visible on the door leading to Burke's room. The door was opened and both men stepped within. Burke was not visible anywhere, but aside from that the tailor saw nothing unusual. The room was long and narrow with a window opening upon the street, the lower sash of which was raised several inches as they always were at that season of the year. In the corner of the room stretching almost its entire length was a wide table, across which was piled rolls of cloth, after the manner of tailors. The ends of these rolls from the door to the front end of the room were dabbled with blood, and the floor was plentifully sprinkled with like stains in the same direction. It was plain that a terrible struggle between two armed men beginning at the entrance door and continuing to the inner room. Going around the end of the table they discovered the blood smeared body of a man lying on the floor. It was that of Burke dead which showed no less than thirty-six stab wounds, most of them trivial. Beside the body lay a pair of tailor's shears, the condition of which proved that the murdered man had used them to defend his life. A few feet away from them upon the floor was a dagger, far larger than any weapon ever seen by the tailor, before or afterwards: it was bloodstained to the hilt, and it could easily be seen that this was the weapon used in committing the crime. With further investigation difficulties were met with. Not a cent's worth of property was missing. Nothing had been disturbed except the rolls of cloth had been slightly jostled out of place by the struggle between the two men. The small leather trunk of Burke's which had been beside his bed had been broken open and the contents scattered over the room but as far as ever known nothing had been carried away. Nobody had ever known that there was anything of value in the trunk except the wearing apparel of its owner. It was plain that robbery was not the motive, although the window was open. No one passing the streets, or no one living in the neighborhood had been disturbed during the night. The weapon which the assassin had left behind him was of unusual size and make, and no one was ever found who could or would say that he had ever seen it before. The murderer of Burke was never found; no clue as to his identity was ever discovered, the motive for the crime could never be conjectured, if he had an enemy it was not known. The murderer left behind him the evidence that he did not lose his presence of mind after committing the deed. The wash basin in Burke's room showed that the murderer had washed the blood stains from his hands and clothing; and blood drops on the floor showed that the murderer received a wound from Burke's shears. After quitting the room the assassin locked the door behind him taking the key with him. The murder has always remained a mystery, but many conjectured that Burke had a deadly enemy who had dogged him to his Kentucky home and found revenge.—Standard.

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Remarkable Twins.

The Coleman twins—Sidney and Smith—from Anderson county, spent the day here Wednesday. They look as much alike as one rabbit does another, and are world beaters. They married sisters, the wedding being a double one, the same minister performing the ceremony. Each had three children, the first child being a son, both being born the same hour of the same day and in the same house. The second child of each is a girl, both making their appearance in the world the same day. The third child of each is also a girl, they too, being born on the same day. Telepathy seems to exist between the two brothers. Some time since Smith was at home in a field and when he went to his dinner he told the women that Sid, who was ten miles away with a thresher must have hurt his foot, for he had felt a shock at 10 o'clock. Sure enough that afternoon Sid came home with three mashed toes. The twins are twenty eight years old and weigh exactly the same.—Harrodsburg Democrat.

When suffering from racking cough take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. The soreness will be relieved and a warm, grateful feeling and healing of the parts affected will be experienced. Wood & Wimsatt.

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The liability to disease is greatly lessened when the blood is in good condition, and the circulation healthy and vigorous. For then all refuse matter is promptly carried out of the system; otherwise it would rapidly accumulate—fermentation would take place, the blood become polluted and the constitution so weakened that a simple malady might result seriously.

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Mr. H. E. Kelly, of Urbana, O., writes: "I had Eczema on my hands and face for five years. It would break out in little white pustules, crusts would form and drop off, leaving the skin red and inflamed. The doctors did me no good. I used all the medicated soaps and salves without benefit. S. S. S. cured me, and my skin is as clear and smooth as any one's."

Mrs. Henry Siegfried, of Cape May, N. J., says that twenty-one bottles of S. S. S. cured her of Cancer of the breast. Doctors and friends thought her case hopeless.

Richard T. Gardner, Florence, S. C., suffered for years with Boils. Two bottles of S. S. S. put his blood in good condition and the Boils disappeared.

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Women Dentists In France.

Dentistry is now an accepted and often flourishing profession of women in France. "In a country town of Seine-et-Marne, near which I am staying," writes a correspondent of The Westminster Gazette, "a qualified young lady dentist enjoys the monopoly of tooth drawing, a dentist's business in provincial France consisting of little else. French country folk, even of the wealthier sort, rarely if ever indulge in a set of false teeth. When they lose their own, they get on as best they can without. But an aching tooth which interferes with business must go, and the cost of extraction is within the reach of all. Two francs is the modest fee for a consultation of the young lady just named, and she is said to be extremely dexterous in handling the forceps. But, then, Frenchwomen are the most dexterous creatures in the world, let them put their hand to what they will."

Improvement on Rice Throwing.

At a pretty country wedding the piazzas and lawn were beautifully decorated with hydrangeas, which the extensive gardens of the bride's home furnished in unusual profusion. The altar arranged at one end of the parlor was beautifully decorated and bowered with the same blooms, mingled with ferns and evergreens. Bunches of the blossoms stood in large jars and vases in the spacious hall and banked the great fireplace. When the newly wedded pair started away in the late afternoon, the guests lined the way from the house to the entrance gate of the grounds, every one provided with hydrangeas, and through this lane of pelting flowers the bridal carriage was driven. It was a poetic and picturesque change from the usual rice shower.

Gown and Dog to Match.

At a recent at home in Paris a well known society woman appeared in a blue gray gown, trimmed with blue chiffon and ribbon. Her dog had a tiny gray cape of the same material as her gown and a blue satin collar and ribbon attached to it. The doggie was tiny and fluffy and in his mistress' arms looked like a muff. The whole combination had evidently been carefully studied.

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SCHOOL OF DOMESTIC ARTS

Chicago Enterprise Over Which Miss Bullard Will Preside.

Chicago women are about to give the world a new evidence of their progressiveness. A week hence they will open the School of Domestic Arts and Science. This school, to use simple terms, will teach cookery, sewing, dressmaking, millinery and nursing. Its curriculum will be so broad as to embrace most of the essentials of good housewifery.

If a bride to be, densely ignorant of domestic economy, wishes to become a worthy helpmate of a man struggling upward in the world, she can get a well rounded training at this institution. If a wife who has been accustomed to do things by rule of thumb or taste of tongue wishes the fullness and exactness of scientific knowledge, she can be accommodated. If the young woman forced to make her own living wants to practice any of the domestic arts, she may start as an expert by a proper course of preparation and reap the corresponding reward of dollars and blessings.

MISS ISABEL D. BULLARD.

The director of the school will be Miss Isabel D. Bullard, a recognized leader in this work. She will also act as instructor in cookery. Miss Henrietta Connor, who was instructor in sewing, dressmaking and millinery at the institute, will hold the same position with the new school. These two teachers will have assistance as needed.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Most Skilled Beadworker.

Geronimo, the Apache chief at the Indian congress, has executed another design for his daughter, Bright Eyes, to complete in beadwork.

All the magnificent beadwork made by the squaws and princesses of the Indian congress has been designed by Geronimo. For two days and nights he has been working on a design that is marvelous. He has laid out the Temple of Music, exterior and interior view. He has mapped out the surroundings of and all the incidents leading up to the assassination of President McKinley. The design shows the president and the assassin, the shots, the revolver, the Milburn residence, the deathbed scene, etc.

It has been sent to Geronimo's daughter, Princess Bright Eyes, who is at Fort Sill. She will work it in beads. It is estimated that it will take over 3,000,000 beads and about two years' work to finish the beautiful and difficult piece.

Geronimo says he is going to give it to the government when finished. His daughter is the most skilled beadworker ever known. It is said she has placed at least 2,000,000,000 beads since she began the art.

General Manager Cummins of the Indian congress expects to have Princess Bright Eyes here at the congress.—Buffalo Express.

The Code of Manners.

Books of manners and etiquette seem rather to the fore just now; but, although they may be very well in their way, they very seldom meet the unforeseen emergencies of awkwardness with which we are often confronted. One clause which might usefully be introduced into codes of manners is that we ought to do to others not exactly as we would wish them to do to ourselves, but as they actually do. Some people are very fussy and punctilious over their engagements and appointments. They write two or three little notes where one would suffice and expect answers to them all. Presumably they find life long enough to act in this way toward every one. We should not find it so ourselves, nor would our other friends care to adopt the plan, but toward those who show by example that they expect it we can without much trouble give pleasure by a willing response, while with those who seem to like everything settled briefly we should try to avoid tiresome detail. Some friends are excited if guests are in the least late, others are never ready if they arrive to the minute, and there are dozens of other little individualities which kind feeling as well as good manners should lead us to observe.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Women and Athletic Dress.

A writer in a ladies' journal has been taking to task the athletic woman who dons short skirts. "The spirit of unwise freedom at sports," she says, "is asserting itself strongly in the matter of dress. I think when I say that the athletic dress of women is being abused that I am simply stating a fact which has become painfully apparent to all right minded people. We need only look at some of the wheelwomen who ride over our roads and through our streets to see how far and to what a vulgar extent this abuse has been carried. That women are at a serious disadvantage at any outdoor exercise with their long skirts no one can deny. For a woman to be comfortable at her athletics she must have a skirt shorter than that which she wears on the streets or in the house. And no one will for a moment criticise a woman for wearing a dress which will give her freedom of movement. But this does not mean that she should don a garment so scant as to leave her limbs exposed. It is sad enough when we see a very young girl in these abbreviated athletic skirts, but at least we can attribute it to a youthful indiscretion. But nothing is more pitiable than such an exhibition from a woman old enough to know better. Even more to be condemned is the custom which some women have adopted of donning short skirts as a regulation morning or afternoon dress when they really have no thought of athletics. There is no more excuse for a woman to appear in a public dining room in an athletic costume than there is for her to appear at breakfast in a decollete gown or at the dinner table in a riding habit."

The Congress of Nurses.

At the international congress of nurses, held in Buffalo, much of interest transpired, especially the fact that the newly elected president and vice president are two American women who distinguished themselves in the Spanish-American war—Dr. Anita McGee of Washington and Dr. Laura A. Hughes of Boston. Other officers elected are: Assistant vice presidents, Miss Jean Walton of New York, Miss Mary Dryer of New York, Dr. Isabel Elliott Cown of Iowa, Miss M. E. Dryer of Manila, Miss McEray of the United States service in the Philippines, Miss Annie Robbins of Santa Mesa, Miss Elizabeth Porteous of Gault, Ont.; Miss Mary Misselback of Newark, N. J., and Miss Yosabella Water of New York; recording secretary, Miss Lela Wilson of Boston; corresponding secretary and treasurer, Mrs. George Louisberg of Charlestown, W. Va. Over 200 members were in attendance, Lady Fenwick coming from London with a delegation of sixteen professional nurses.

The Matinee Girl's Influence.

It is a mistake to suppose that I ever complained of the influence of the "young girl in the dress circle." It is to her that I attributed the fact that most of the plays produced in the sixties and seventies were sweet and clean. I have always held that maxima reverentia is due to that young lady. I am so old fashioned as to believe that the test whether a story is fit to be presented to an audience in which there are many young ladies is whether the details of that story can be decently told at, say, a dinner party at which a number of ladies and gentlemen are present. I put forward this suggestion with diffidence, for I am convinced that it will not be received with approval. Nevertheless I have always kept this test well before me in writing plays, and I have never found myself inconveniently hampered by it.—W. S. Gilbert in Pall Mall Gazette.

A Queen's Coronation Robes.

The coronation robes of Queen Adelaide, consort of William IV., which have for long been in safe keeping in Brodie castle, Morayshire, were recently sent, according to a persistent rumor, for some time to Windsor at Queen Alexandra's request. The question naturally arises, Are Queen Alexandra's coronation robes to be fashioned on the lines of Queen Adelaide's? The robes are of black velvet, with wing sleeves, edged with gold trimming. Queen Adelaide had presented them to the Duchess of Gordon, who was then mistress of the robes, she being a Miss Brodie of Brodie before she married the then lord of Huntly.

Some Fashions In Mourning.

For deep mourning there is no doubt that crape is still universally worn. Widows' gowns which are not entirely made of it have a front breadth and deep band of crape all around applique on to a tunic piece of some deep mourning fabric. Capes have been the prevailing mourning outdoor garment for some time, and these are very elaborately trimmed with crape for deep grief, either with flouncings or pipings or high collars. Wool poplins trimmed with rouleaux of crape are very well worn, especially with bodices opening over an undervest and collar band of crape.

Paris is threatened with a pearl famine. The pearl necklace has become so fashionable not only with the fair Parisienne, but all the world over, that pearls are dearer and rarer. Americans, the Parisian jewelers say, are especially keen pearl hunters. A necklace which fifteen years ago was worth $2,000 will today sell for from $6,000 to $8,000.

Interest in tapestry has been revived, and couch cushions with tapestry covers are included in the season's collection and are something of a relief from the silk and satin and embroidered linens that have held sway for some time. The Gibson sofa pillows in etching tints are as popular as ever.

Traveling bottles for medicines, perfumes or spirits were never more enticing than this season. They are shown in unusual variety, the bottles gilt or silver topped and handsomely cased in round leather boxes.

Many handsome pewter trophies in the shape of loving cups, jugs, mugs, tankards, etc., are provided for the season of sports, the individual decoration adapting them to use as prizes in golfing or yachting.

A REMARKABLE WOMAN.

The Terrible Experiences of a Talented Turkish Princess.

A remarkable woman is Princess Hairie Husem, daughter of the late Mahmoud Pasha Ben Ayad, one of the most influential nobles of Tunis. The princess was brought up as are most Turkish girls, hidden from the world and married at fifteen to a man of her parents' choosing. Her husband, Ali Nouri Bey, was a Turkish consul general. He is of Swedish descent, which may probably account for his enlightened ideas and his hatred of tyranny and the somewhat crooked policy of his imperial despotic master.

The sultan did not approve of Ali Nouri Bey's enlightened manner of looking at things and endeavored to lure him back to Turkey, where he could deal with him more conveniently than at a distance. Having had considerable experience of Turkish prisons, Ali Nouri Bey, then consul at Rotterdam, refused to return and sent his resignation to the sultan, who, in place of accepting it, sentenced him to 101 years' imprisonment.

After many adventures and hairbreadth escapes the princess, with her maid and two little children, succeeded in joining her husband at Athens and from there journeyed to London. She is now endeavoring by lectures and writings to arouse in the hearts of English and European women sympathy for and interest in Turkish women. The princess' father had in his harem from 400 to 500 slaves, and the present sultan, Abdul Hamid, chose a wife from among them. These were the early surroundings of the princess. She knew all the ins and outs of the lives of the Turkish women of rank, their habits, customs and occupations, their sufferings and aspirations, often ruthlessly quenched by severe punishments and death.

European women have been permitted to visit the harems and have written accounts of their visits, but they only saw what they were permitted to see, and the real life behind the veil was hidden from them.

The princess is probably the first Turkish woman of rank to lead a life of freedom and independence as she does. She does not wear European costume, but her children and husband do. The outdoor costume of Turkish women, whatever be their rank, is differing [illegible] of the same material, to the edge of which is fastened a thick black veil which entirely conceals the face.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

In Praise of the Needle.

All manner of arguments are being put forward just now—vide silly season correspondence in half a dozen daily and weekly papers—for the purpose of cajoling or frightening women back into becoming the excellent housewives which "our grandmothers" are said to have been. But the cleverest argument in favor of a return to the vanishing domesticities is put forward by a French lady in the columns of a Parisian contemporary. Turning from housewifery in general to the "art of the needle," she says:

"It cannot be denied that a pretty hand wielding this delicate weapon, a pretty figure bending over a piece of work, a pair of bright eyes thoughtfully, attentively considering the article in hand, have a charm of their own. The attitude of calm serenity and innocence is, moreover, a delightful piece of coquetry, standing in graceful contrast to the general restlessness of the time."

If anything could bring the nondomesticated woman back to the forsaken worktable, surely this vision of herself ought to do so. It is certainly more attractive than the woman on her wheel or on her automobile, as she may be seen all over France.—Westminster Gazette.

Women Voters In Australia.

The Woman's Sphere, a monthly which comes from Melbourne, Australia, finds that the possession of the ballot is an advantage to women. It says:

"It is already very evident that federation will secure for Australian women beneficent legislation that, in spite of many years' persistent efforts, they have not been able to obtain in their own separate states. The federal franchise is a certainty. The public service bill as sent from the house of representatives nearly trebles the minimum salary to be paid to women in the postal department, and Senator Dobson's divorce bill will go far toward equalizing the divorce law for men and women."

Wilhelmina's White Gowns.

The young queen of Holland is making white the fashionable color for gowns throughout aristocratic circles in Holland. She has always preferred white, and her trousseau contains white dresses of every kind of material—silk, velvet, wool—both for morning and evening wear.

On the morning of her marriage Queen Wilhelmina appeared at breakfast with her mother in a lovely gown of white cloth embroidered in white wool. Her wedding gown was cloth of silver, and very magnificent was the white velvet dress she wore when making her public entry into Amsterdam. It was trimmed with sable, with an ermine mantle.

Newest Ring Fancy.

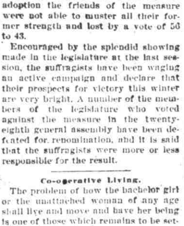
A change from the multitude of jeweled rings that everybody wears is the fancy for plain, broad gold ones, innocent of stones or tooling, with a date in simple square figures. One woman who does not consider sentiment old fashioned wears three, the first with the year of her engagement, the second with the year of her marriage and the third with that of the birth of her young son.

AN IOWA SUFFRAGIST.

The Woman Who Is to Lead the Movement This Winter.

Mrs. Evelyn H. Belden of Sioux City will have charge of the equal suffrage movement in the coming Iowa legislature. Mrs. Belden is president of the Iowa Equal Suffrage association and was in charge of the legislative work in the state two years ago.

At that time the bill passed the senate by a vote of 24 to 22, but because four members were absent or not voting it was defeated, as it lacked two votes of the required constitutional majority. In the house the committee reported the bill for passage, but a minority report was introduced. This was defeated by a vote of 48 to 47, but when the original bill came up for adoption the friends of the measure were not able to muster all their former strength and lost by a vote of 56 to 43.



MRS. EVELYN H. BELDEN.

Encouraged by the splendid showing made in the legislature at the last session, the suffragists have been waging an active campaign and declare that their prospects for victory this winter are very bright. A number of the members of the legislature who voted against the measure in the twenty-eighth general assembly have been defeated for renomination, and it is said that the suffragists were more or less responsible for the result.

Co-operative Living.

The problem of how the bachelor girl or the unattached woman of any age shall live and move and have her being is one of those which remains to be settled. For the business woman on a good salary the average boarding house has no attractions, but the first class boarding house charges such exorbitant prices for what is received that she rebels.

A woman's hotel such as has been tried in Boston and New York at moderate prices would meet the demand of many, but there is a certain class of women, special teachers, professional women and business women holding responsible and lucrative positions, who desire more of the privacy of home life than is afforded in such a place.

For such women co-operative housekeeping offers perhaps the most feasible solution. In this manner two or more women may secure independence and comfort at moderate expenditure. Those who have tried it assert that the co-operative plan, with the companionship of two or more congenial women companions, has a broadening effect on each and that the individual expenditure is small compared with the comforts obtained.

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IN THE NURSERY.

The Mother's Serious Problem Is In Rearing Her Children.

Young mothers are prone to err on the side of overstrictness in the management of the little ones. The days of extreme severity, it is true, have passed away, and children are not, as a hundred years ago they were, in fear of their parents. The rod, the slipper and similar instruments of physical torture have disappeared from the homes of well bred people, and loving mothers do not now think it their duty to break the will of a little child. But punishment still plays too large a part in the nursery. A sensitive child may be wounded in spirit by undue rigor as deeply formerly he was hurt in body by blows. Children must indeed be restrained from doing wrong and shown how to do right, but prohibition and penalty should be kept much in the background, and example and atmosphere ought to be the chief factors in child culture. It is better to say "Come" to a little man or woman than to say "Go"—better to lead than to drive.

Every mother knows that in her family there are marked opposites and diversities of temperament and disposition. One child must be held back, another spurred on. One is subject to impulses of fury, is vehement, easily roused and easily soothed. Another is slow to anger, but sullen and morose, requiring to be shown the value of self control from the very start. When mothers' clubs meet, they discuss many of the problems which every household meets, and perhaps the very best thing they do is to impress on themselves the value of pure living and high thinking, of sweetness and sincerity. The mother who is bright, cheery and well, who retains her children's confidence, who sets them an example of courage, truth and devotion to principle, is doing for them what no whipping and scolding and fault finding will ever do.

If we would have children unselfish and polite, let us show them the beauty of altruism and behave to them with perfect courtesy. The father who is uniformly gracious in his bearing at home will have sons who are neither brusque nor boorish. The mother who is always gentle, loving and serene will have no loud tones nor quarrels in her domain.—Exchange.

Qualified to Vote.

A prominent lecturer is reported as saying about the education of boys and girls, "We all aspired to the prizes, but the girls not only aspire, but they perspire and generally get there." The recent report of Dean Crow of Northwestern university shows that while 40 per cent of male students were marked poor only 20 per cent of female students were so marked during the first semester. During the second half of the year the markings were 12 per cent of the men as against 5 per cent of the women. This would seem to indicate not only a higher grade of scholarship, but better staying qualities in the feminine makeup.

The question ofttimes presents itself to the inquiring mind as to how long this country will rest content to pay the major part of its enormous school tax for the education of girls and yet excuse them from the common duties of citizenship. Our high schools graduate from five to seven girls for every boy. Now, if an educational qualification has any arguments in its favor, the extra girls ought not to be represented or misrepresented by inferior men.

A Ring In Lieu of a Bow.

Being cut by a king has its compensations. Rejane, the idol of the Paris stage, met Edward VII., king of Great Britain, Ireland and other places too numerous to mention. Rejane smiled and bowed to his majesty, but Edward looked dreamily before him as if he had seen no one, not to speak of so charming a friend as Rejane.

A few hours later the actress received a message at her hotel. It was from the king, who explained that the reason he had not saluted her when they met was that his circumstances had changed and he was bound hand and foot by etiquette or words to that effect. The message was accompanied by a sapphire ring. Rejane has a sense of humor and didn't mind in the least accepting a jewel from a person who wouldn't bow to her. But she confided in all Paris.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

A Sister's Grief.

The sisters of Japan take their brothers' educations more seriously than do the sisters of Yale and Harvard men. A young man from Japan went to Nancy, France, to study law. A professor of that city prepared him for the examinations. The student failed to pass and returned to Japan. Shortly after the professor received a letter from the young man's sister, saying that she could not bear the disgrace of her brother's failure and was going to kill herself. She advised the professor to do the same thing. The professor wrote to her, begging her to change her mind and not carry out her fell purpose. In reply he received a letter from the brother saying that his sister was dead.

Fingers Crowded With Rings.

Rings for the fingers grow larger and more valuable every day, but fewer are worn, although people cram as many on the two fashionable fingers as possible. And those two fingers are, as we all know, the third and fourth. To see any one wearing a ring on the first or middle finger gives a fashionable minded woman quite a shock.

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